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Amendments to the claim:

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Please amend claims 1-5 with the attached amended claims numbered 1-6. The applicant declares that no new matter has been added by any of the amendments requested herein.

- 1. (currently amended) A shoulder dislocation acute-phase immobilization orthosis comprising:
 - a support frame—1 integrally formed of a lightweight hard thick-plated material, with a width approximately greater than that of thea forearm, comprising: a curved portion—3 which follows the shape of thean abdominal part of a body and an arm supporting side face—5 of approximately a the forearm length, which is integrally extended forward from enean end of the curved portion—3 via a bent portion 4-and is bent at an appointed angle;
 - an <u>one or more</u> arm supporting member<u>s(s) 6</u> for immobilizing the forearm, provided on the arm supporting side face 5 of said support frame 1; and
 - a wrap-around belt-2 made of a flexible material having a width identical to that of said support frame-1, provided with a surface fastener 8 for fitting said support frame-1 to the <u>a</u>trunk part of a body.
- 2 (currently amended) The shoulder dislocation acute-phase immobilization orthosis as set forth in Claim 1, wherein
- said bent portion-4 can be plastically deformed by a bending force of both arms or more, and can change the an angle of inclination of said arm support side face-5 within a prescribed angle range of -20°~30°.
- 3. (currently amended) The shoulder dislocation acute-phase immobilization orthosis as set forth in Claim 1 or 2, wherein
- said <u>one or more</u> arm supporting member<u>s</u>—6 can be detachably fixed to said arm supporting side face—5 via a surface fastener—8.

1 4. (currently amended) A shoulder dislocation acute-phase 2 immobilization orthosis comprising:

a roughly triangular support block—10 formed of a lightweight hard synthetic resin material, with a width approximately greater than that of thea forearm, comprising: a curved portion—3 having two ends which follows the shape of the an abdominal part of a body; an arm supporting side face—5 of approximately the a forearm length, which is extended forward from both ends of the curved portion—3 to create an angle of inclination within a range of 5°~10° outward from at least one of a plurality of flank sides with respect to a surface extended forward in parallel with a the flank; and an inclined front face—11 mated to said arm supporting side face—5 from another flank side;

an arm supporting member-6 for immobilizing the forearm, provided on said arm supporting side face-5; and

a wrap-around belt—2-made of a flexible material having a width identical to that of said support block—10, provided with a surface fastener—8-for fitting said support block—10 to athe trunk part of a body.

- 5. (currently amended) The shoulder dislocation acute-phase immobilization orthosis as set forth in Claim 4, wherein
- said arm supporting member—6—can be detachably fixed to said arm supporting side face—5 via a surface fastener—8.
 - 6. (new) The shoulder dislocation acute-phase immobilization orthosis as set forth in Claim 2 wherein
- said one or more arm supporting members can be detachably fixed to said
 arm supporting side face via a surface fastener.